

*Different Working of Animal Instincts in the Presence of
the Great Destroyer—Dumb Brutes Steal Away,
Their Whole Idea Seclusion and Solitude.*

Man thinks himself a little lower than the angels, and it may be so, but of this we may be sure, there is that in the dumb hour which marks the kinship of man with the uncomplaining animal submissive to the decree of nature, and noble in its obedience to the call of the voice that silences all other voices.—The Hospital.

*Miniature Snowdrift Gathered in the Back Yard Used by
New Cook to Ornament the Piece de Resistance of the
Feast—Tale as Told in a Mothers' Meeting.*

"The dinner was a perfect success, so much so that I was bragging to my envious neighbors of the treasure I had found in my greenhorn cook.

"When Minna brought in the dessert, the cake did look simply splendid, and Minna triumphant; but as she set it before me I turned cold with horror, for that girl had taken me most literally and had fed the cake with the most immaculate miniature snowdrift she had been able to scrape together in the back yard."—
New York Press.

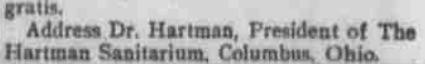
Chain of Circumstances Proved the Claim Made by the Girl That She Was Above Believing in Such Nonsense —Of Course There Were a Few Little Exceptions.

"But I'm mighty glad I'm not superstitious, like so many girls I know."—*New York Times.*

"The old man in the front pew?" answered a vestryman. "Oh, he is one of the harmless inmates of the insane asylum around the corner."—*New York Times.*

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